

## NOTICE OF PROCESS FOR PROPOSED MINOR AMENDMENT

National Electricity Rules – Rule 7.16.7

### MSATS PROCEDURES CATS Version Customer Switching

**Date of Notice: 28 May 2020**

This notice informs all Registered Participants, Metering Providers, Metering Data Providers, Embedded Network Managers, Ministers and the AER (Persons) that AEMO is conducting a minor amendment process in respect of the Market Settlement and Transfer Solution (MSATS) Procedures CATS Procedure Principles and Obligations version Customer Switching.

This process is being conducted under clause 7.16.2 of the National Electricity Rules (**NER**), in accordance with rule 7.16.7(e) of the NER.

#### Relevant Matter

The relevant matter is to correct Table 7-A of the MSATS Procedures CATS Procedure Principles and Obligations version Customer Switching, where for a Change Reason Code '1061 – Reverse Retailer – Debt Objection' the Retrospective Period timeframe permitted should be '66 business days'. The Final Determination version permits only '6 business days'. Further details are provided in the Minor Amendment Change Paper published with this notice. A draft of Market Settlement and Transfer Solution (MSATS) Procedures CATS Procedure Principles and Obligations version Customer Switching is published with this notice and the Minor Amendment Change Paper.

#### The Process

The process is outlined below. Dates are indicative only and subject to change.

PROCESS STAGE	INDICATIVE DATE
Closing date for submissions in response to this Notice and Change Paper	12/6/2020
Publication of Final Report and Determination	16/7/2020

#### Invitation to Make Submissions

AEMO invites written submissions on the relevant matter, including any alternative or additional proposals you consider may better meet the objectives of this process and the national electricity objective in section 7 of the National Electricity Law.

Please identify any parts of your submission that you wish to remain confidential, and explain why. AEMO may still publish that information if it does not consider it to be confidential, but will consult with you before doing so.

Please note that material identified as confidential may be given less weight in the decision-making process than material that is published.

## **Meetings**

In your submission, you may request a meeting with AEMO to discuss the relevant matter, stating why you consider a meeting is necessary or desirable.

If appropriate, meetings may be held jointly with other persons. Subject to confidentiality restrictions, AEMO will generally make details of matters discussed at a meeting available to other persons, and may publish them.

## **Closing Date and Time**

Submissions in response to this Notice should be sent by email to [NEM.Retailprocedureconsultations@aemo.com.au](mailto:NEM.Retailprocedureconsultations@aemo.com.au), to reach AEMO by 5.00pm (Melbourne time) on Friday 12 June 2020.

All submissions must be forwarded in electronic format (both pdf and Word). Please send any queries about this process to the same email address.

Submissions received after the closing date and time will not be valid, and AEMO is not obliged to consider them. Any late submissions should explain the reason for lateness and the detriment to you if AEMO does not consider your submission.

## **Publication**

All submissions will be published on AEMO's website, other than confidential content.